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FREQUENCY MICROELECTRONIC OR

MICROELECTROMECHANICAL COMPONENT, AND

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment in response to the Office Action of April 28, 2008.

Applicants respectfully petition for **three-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of April 28, 2008, for which a three-month response period expired on July 28, 2008. The extended period for response expires on October 28, 2008. The **\$1,110.00** extension of time fee **is being paid by credit card**.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any additional fees or to credit any overpayment, to the Deposit Account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11–0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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